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July 28, 1999

Mr. James E. Rasmussen
U.S. Department of Energy
P.O. Box 550, MSIN: A5-15
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Dear Mr. Rasmussen:

Re: Hanford Facility Dangerous Waste Part A Permit Application, Revision 0 of Form 3,
for the Immobilized High-Level Waste Interim Storage and Completion of Hanford
Facility Agreement and Consent Order Interim Milestone M-90-12

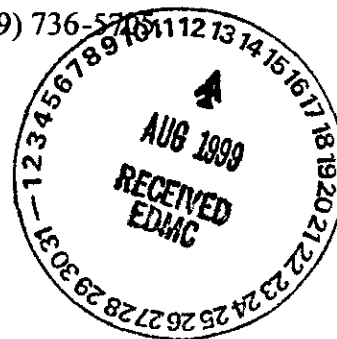
The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) received the U.S. Department of Energy's (USDOE) Dangerous Waste Permit Application, Part A, Form 3, Revision 0, for the Immobilized High-Level Waste Interim Storage Unit (IHLW), dated June 28, 1999, and the July 26, 1999, follow-up letter.

The justification for removal of waste codes D001, D003, and F039 in the July 26, 1999, follow-up letter is acceptable. Consequently, Ecology accepts USDOE's Part A Permit Application, Form 3, for the IHLW Interim Storage, and the completion of the associated milestone M-90-12.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (509) 736-5715.

Sincerely,

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